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POSITIONAL CONTROL

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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TOTAL CLAIMS	* 26 -	24 =	2 x	\$18.00	\$36.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 3 -	4 =	0 x	\$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$36.00

****Claim count based on Preliminary Amendment****

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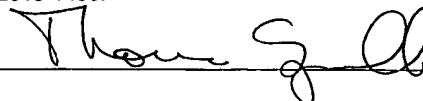
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